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## House Resolution No. 3600

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are pleased and honored to recognize Missourians who have witnessed dramatic changes in America during their sojourn on this most precious Earth; and

Whereas, the members now find it altogether fitting and proper to pause in their course of the diverse daily activities to recognize Billie Babb, who will celebrate her ninetieth birthday on July 12, 2008, at the Tower Club in Springfield, Missouri, surrounded by family and friends; and

**Whereas**, Billie Babb was born on July 14, 1918, in Sherman, Texas, a treasured member of the Odneal family; and

Whereas, Billie Babb is well known and respected for her involvement in the city-wide Parent Teachers Association, and she remains active in the Democratic Women's Club; and

Whereas, Billie Babb was the first and only woman to date to chair the Greene County Democratic Party; and

Whereas, Billie Babb is the wife of Ralph Babb; the mother of Ralph Babb Jr. and his wife, Barbara; the grandmother of Derek Babb and Dana McGowan; and the great-grandmother of Isabella, Avery, Ian, Evan, and Abigail:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our most sincere congratulations to Billie Babb on the illustrious occasion of her ninetieth birthday, with our very best wishes for many more happy years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Billie Babb.